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CENTRAL ILLINOIS LIGHT COMPANY and AMEREN CORPORATION)	ν
Application for authority to engage in a reorganization, and to enter into various agreements in connection therewith, including agreements with affiliated interests, and for))) Docket No. (02-0428
such other approvals as may be required under the Illinois Public Utilities Act to)	
effectuate the reorganization.)	·

PETITION TO INTERVENE

NOW COMES the CITY OF PEORIA, ILLINOIS, by and through its attorneys, QUINN, JOHNSTON, HENDERSON & PRETORIUS, CHARTERED, and for its Petition to Intervene pursuant to Section 200.200 of the Rules of Practice of the Illinois Commerce Commission, states:

- 1. The CITY OF PEORIA, ILLINOIS ("CITY"), 419 Fulton Street, Peoria, Illinois 61602, (309) 494-8500, seeks leave to intervene in the above-styled docket.
- 2. The CITY is an Illinois municipal corporation with approximately 114,000 individual residents and numerous commercial and industrial residents; all, or substantially all, of those residents obtain electrical energy from the CENTRAL ILLINOIS LIGHT COMPANY ("CILCO") and are, therefore, customers of CILCO. The actions of CILCO, whether rate related, service issues or, as in this docket, the proposed reorganization of CILCO pursuant to which CILCO will become a subsidiary of the AMEREN

CORPORATION ("AMEREN") effect, or potentially effect, its customers. Customers, including the CITY which is itself a CILCO customer, are entitled to know the potential impact of the actins for which authority is sought by CILCO and AMEREN in Docket No. 02-0428 but the majority of the residents of the CITY do not have the individual ability to intervene in this proceeding. The CITY is interested, on behalf of its residents and itself, in the proposed reorganization of CILCO and of the potential impact of that reorganization upon CILCO customers within the CITY.

WHEREFORE, the CITY OF PEORIA, ILLINOIS prays it be granted leave to intervene and to be treated as a party in the above-styled docket.

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VERIFICATION

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
•)SS
COUNTY OF PEORIA)

Michael McKnight, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the City Manager of the City of Peoria, Illinois, that he has read the foregoing Petition, and that the facts and matters are true and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief, and that he is authorized to execute this Verification on behalf of the City of Peoria, Illinois.

Michael McKnight

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

day of (..., 2002.

Notary Public

APPROVED

L'EGAL DEPT.

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